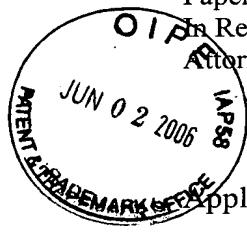


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RESPONSE

Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated December 29, 2005, Applicants submit the accompanying Petition for Extension of Time and the following remarks.

Remarks begin on page 2 of this paper.

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